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SUBJECT: MORNING SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT REPORTS

1. GREECE-TURKEY

A. ANKARA UNYIELDING ON SISMIL

AMBASSADOR MACOMBER REPORTS THAT HIS LATEST DEMARCHE FAILED  
TO MOVE CAGLAYANGIL. THE FOREIGN MINISTER REITERATED THAT  
TURKEY:

--WILL EXERCISE ITS FULL RIGHTS IN THE AEGEAN WITHOUT  
CONDITIONS; AND

--WHILE PREPARED TO TALK WITH THE GREEKS AT THEIR RE-  
QUEST, HAS NO CONCESSIONS TO GIVE.

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AMBASSADOR'S COMMENT: TURKEY DOES NOT APPEAR PREPARED AT

THIS POINT TO INITIATE ANY ATTEMPT TO AVOID A CRISIS OVER THE SISMIL. THE GOVT SEEMS TO THINK IT HAS TIME TO PLAY WITH BEFORE THE SHIP ENTERS DISPUTED WATERS AND MAY SHOW MORE FLEXIBILITY LATER. I CONTINUE TO FEEL, HOWEVER, THAT BOTH SIDES MAY BE BACKING INTO A SHOWDOWN FROM WHICH NEITHER WILL BE ABLE TO RETREAT.

B. NO HELP FROM THE EC

AFTER CONSULTING WITH THE EC-9, DUTCH FOREIGN MINISTER VAN DER STOEP INFORMED THE UK HE WOULD NOT MAKE A DEMARCH TO TURKEY ON EUROPE'S BEHALF. EMBASSY LONDON COMMENTS THAT IT REMAINS TO BE SEEN WHETHER THE SECRETARY'S MESSAGE TO VAN DER STOEP WILL ALTER LONDON'S OPPOSITION TO SUCH A DEMARCH. (CONFIDENTIAL) ANKARA 5940 (EXDIS) AND LONDON 12039 (EXDIS), 8/3.)

2. IRAQ OFFERS AMNESTY TO KURDS

A KURDISH SOURCE TOLD EMBASSY TEHRAN THAT A VISITING IRAQI DELEGATION MET JULY 31 WITH KURDISH REPRESENTATIVES IN TEHRAN AND OFFERED AMNESTY FOR "ALL PAST HAPPENINGS." THE OFFER WOULD:

--NOT BE PUBLICLY ANNOUNCED;

--INCLUDE ALL KURDS NOW IN IRAN EXCEPT BARZANI, HIS SONS AND A NEPHEW; AND

--PROVIDE THAT RETURNING KURDS BE TAKEN TO KURDISH AREAS AND GIVEN THEIR OLD JOBS BACK, EXCEPT FOR SOLDIERS WHO WOULD BE RELOCATED IN THE CIVILIAN SECTOR.

THE SOURCE INDICATED THE KURDISH LEADERSHIP, DISSATISFIED WITH CONDITIONS IN IRAN, HAD VIRTUALLY DECIDED TO RECOMMEND ACCEPTANCE OF THE OFFER, THOUGH THE FINAL DECISION WOULD AWAIT BARZANI'S RETURN FROM THE US. (SECRET) TEHRAN 7872, 8/3.)

3. GUINEA GROUNDS SOVIET SPY FLIGHTS

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RESPONDING TO US REQUESTS, INTERIOR MINISTER DIAKITE ASSURED AMBASSADOR HARROP JULY 30 THAT SOVIET TU95D RECONNAISSANCE FLIGHTS AGAINST THE US ATLANTIC FLEET WILL END THIS MONTH. AT THE SAME TIME, DIAKITE MADE A VAGUE REQUEST FOR A US "SECURITY GUARANTEE" AGAINST FEARED "MERCENARY ATTACKS" FROM SENEGAL AND IVORY COAST.

AMBASSADOR'S COMMENT: WE APPEAR TO HAVE SCORED A REMARK-  
ABLE BREAKTHROUGH. I BELIEVE THE GOG DECIDED THE SOVIETS  
WERE EXPLOITING IT BY USING THE FLIGHTS AGAINST THE US  
RATHER THAN FOR GUINEAN SECURITY. WE SHOULD NOW ENCOURAGE  
GUINEA TO FOLLOW A MORE NON-ALIGNED POLICY AND MAKE SOME  
GESTURE TO SHOW WE RECOGNIZE ITS SECURITY FEARS, HOWEVER  
GROUNDLESS THEY MAY BE. (SECRET) CONAKRY 1538, 8/3.)

4. ZAMBIA: KAUNDA CHEERS SWAPO ON

AT A STATE HOUSE LUNCHEON AUGUST 2 IN HONOR OF SWAPO PRESI-  
DENT SAM NUJOMA, PRESIDENT KAUNDA PLEDGED ZAMBIA'S FULL SUP-  
PORT TO SWAPO, PREDICTED SUCCESS FOR IT, AND ATTRIBUTED ITS  
RECENT DIFFICULTIES TO A WELL-FINANCED SOUTH AFRICAN-WEST  
GERMAN CONSPIRACY.

EMBASSY COMMENT: KAUNDA'S WHOLEHEARTED PUBLIC ENDORSEMENT  
MAKES IT CLEAR AT LEAST FOR NOW THAT SWAPO IS ZAMBIA'S  
CHOSEN INSTRUMENT IN THE NAMIBIA STRUGGLE, AND MAY BE PAR-  
TIALY DESIGNED TO CATCH MUJOMO AND SWAPO IN SUCH A WARM  
EMBRACE THAT THEY WILL RESIST THE TEMPTATION TO LOCATE  
PARTY HEADQUARTERS ELSEWHERE, E.G., LUANDA. (LIMITED OFFI-  
CIAL USE) LUSAKA 1962, 8/3.) KISSINGER

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